Unique Civil War Centennial Event Is Planned For Medal of Honor Winners

Washington, D. C.- What has happened to the 1,504 Medals of Honor that the Federal Government originated and bestowed on its heroic soldiers and sailors during the Civil War?

A partial answer is in the making. Since June when the first notice was broadcast, the District of Columbia Civil War Sentennial Commission has been reaching out into the hinterlands for some trace of the recipients now all long gone, but alive in the memory of later generations.

It's all part of plans for a giant ceremony to be held at the Washington Cathedral here on April 18, 1962, as one of the major highlights of the Civil War Centennial, a five-year period of ceremony already projected as the greatest pageant in the history of the nation. At that time, fitting tribute will be paid to the names of the first winners of America's highest award for valor, with fitting and proper salute to their descendants.

Those descendants, early replies indicate, are widely scattered. Answers to queries as to the whereabouts of these medals have come from 26 states, some of them as Southern as the Confederate flag.

The score of located descendants now totals 93, as follows:

California, 6; Connecticut, 5; Delaware, 3; District of Columbia, 2; Florida, 1; Illinois, 5; Indiana, 1; Iowa, 3; Kentcky, 3; Maine, 4; Maryland, 8; Massachusetts, 9; Michigan, 7; Missouri, 1; New Jersey, 2; New York, 8; North Carolina, 1; Ohio, 4; Pennsylvania, 4; Rhode Island, 2; Tennessee, 1; Vermont, 5; Virginia, 5; Washington, 1; West Virginia,1, and Wisconsin, 1.

Included in this total are 15 persons descended from three of the first six men to receive the award. These winners were a part of the daring Andrews Raiders who stole a railroad engine and made a dash through the Deep South that the modern movie-goer may see depicted in "The Great Locomotive Chase."

Twenty-one men followed James J. Andrews, of Flemingsburg, Ky., on this madcap foray. Some were captured, some escaped, and eight were executed, including the leader. Two descendants of one of these men who paid for the experience with their lives—John M. Scott, Company F, Twenty-first Ohio Infantry—have been located.

The Washington Daily Morning Chronicle of March 26, 1863, tells of the arrival of the original six to receive the award. They came into the national capital the day before, members of the Second, Twenty-first and Thirty-third Ohio Infantry — William Bensinger, Robert Buffum, Elihu H. Mason, Jacob Parrott, William Pittinger and William H. Reddick.

A two-man reception committee —Major General Ethan Allen Hitchcock, Military Governor of Washington, and Ohio's recruiting agent at the capital, James C. Wetmore — awaited them. To the office of Union Secretary of War Edwin M. Stanton they were conducted, and there they received a warm welcome. Ready to fly, from the lips of President Andrew Johnson and Treasury Secretary Salmon P. Chase.

Stanton awarded the medals. Parrott was first. As the Secretary pinned the award on the recipient's coat, he remarked: "None of these medals have yet been awarded to my soldiers, and I now present you with the first one."

When the last medal had been attached, Stanton stepped back and took six $100 bills from his desk, distributing one to each of the raiders.

"The President now wishes to see you," he announced.

For half an hour, the award winners stood in the presence of Abraham Lincoln. He talked with each, manifesting sympathy for their hardships and commending them for their courage.

"I thank you for the people of the nation," he said as they departed.

This day will live again in 1962. Many, if not all, of the descendants already located are expected to be present. A prominent orator will be on hand to extoll the virtues of their ancestors in fitting language. A giant choir will revive patriotic songs of a century ago, and down the winding waters of the Potomac a Navy ship will strew rose petals, each a symbol of bravery.

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Spout Spring

Route One, Spout Spring, Sept. 22.- We are sorry to hear that Mr. Harry Alvis is ill at this writing, as he is well known here. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Weeks and family spent Sunday in Farmville.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Spencer are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Irby Wheeler.

Mrs. Weeks, Sr., is ill at this writing.

Mrs. W. D. Krantz and son, Richard spent Sunday with her father, Mr. U. R. Drevry, at Rustburg.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Burnette and Mr. Hubert Burnette had supper with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Krantz Saturday.

Colored Dots

An overflow crowd attended the third anniversary of the local Appomattox Trumpeteer Singers last Sunday evening in the Carver-Price High School gymtorium. The program began at 7:30 P. M., with the Rev. James Franklin serving as the master of ceremony. Opening hymn was Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross, sung by the entire audience. Prayer was offered by the master of ceremony. The Rev. R. Q. Lawing read the Scripture. Mr. Joseph Lewis extended words of welcome, and the response was given by Mr. Rudolph Williams. The following groups appeared on the program: The Heavenly Singers, of Clarkston, The Heavenly Gospel Singers, of Monroe; The Gospel Harmonettes, of Prospect; The Silvertone Singers, of Prospect; The Heavenly Gospel Singers, of Cullen; The Golden Tone Singers, of Lynchburg; The Roseland Singers, of Madison Heights, and the local Trumpeteers. During the first half of the program presentations were made to Reverends Franklin and Lawing for the support and encouragement given the local group through the years, by its business manager, Mr. Winston Jones. Presentation were also given to the booking manager and to Mr. Haskins, of the school. A cake was presented to the local group by Rev. Lawing on behalf of Mrs. Mattie Paige and Mrs. Alberta Marshall, All present enjoyed the program. A free will offering of $124.00 was taken by deacons George Beasley and John D. Johnson.

The first P.-T. A. meeting or the school year will be held in the cafeteria of the Converse-Price High School this Monday evening at 7:30.

The Union Baptizing services will be held at the Pronia Baptist Church this Sunday at 10:30 A. M. Candidates from Mount Shiloh and Galilee are asked to be at te church on time. Regular preaching and communion services will follow.

A large crowd attended the funeral services for the late Mrs. Maggie Hamlet conducted from the Galilee Baptist Church last Sunday at 2 P. M. The pastor of the church offeiated and delivered the eulogy. The deceased died in the Lynchburg

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the sick list. Those visiting in the Jones home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Everette Ferguson, Mr. Tom Marsh, Mrs. Dean Pugh, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Jones and children, of Newport News, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mullin, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jones, Gail Robinson, Mrs. Courtney Mann and Mrs. J. B. Mayberry.

FARMING AS 'PART OWNER' MAY SOLVE SOME PROBLEMS

Farming as 'part owner' may solve some problems for young farmers who don't have enough capital to buy and operate an efficient family-size farm.

And, say agricultural economists at VPI, it may solve some problems for older farmers who find it necessary to reduce the size of their farm businesses.

The economists, who have recently completed a study of the possibilities of farming as part owner, point out that the importance of the problems of shortages of capital and of under-use of farm property has increased in recent years because of a growth in capitrl requirements for farming and a rise in life expectancy for men and women.

Alternate solutions to these problems have been advanced earlier. It has been suggested that young farmers rent farms until they have accumulated enough capital to buy a farm of economic size. However, since most farm leases in Virginia provide for a tenancy from year to year, tenant farmers have little assurance that they won't have to move.

Farming in partnership also has been proffered as a solution, and while it is acceptable in some cases, in others it is not possible.

Now the idea of part ownership is being advanced as another alternative solution to the young farmer's problem of getting security of occupancy with limited capital and the elderly farmer's problem of under-use of farm land. Part owners, as the economists define them, are farmers who farm both land which they own and land which they rent.

TRAPPED

Portland, Ore.- A 5-year-old boy was caught red handed when he turned in a false alarm recently.

Firemen found the lad at the alarm box with his finger caught in the mechanism.

Subscription rate: $2.00 a year; payable in advance.

County Line

County Line, Sept. 23.- People in this section are very busy with their farm work, such as stripping tobacco, saving hay, and picking corn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Overton called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everette Ferguson last week.

Mrs. Margaret Marshall is spending a few days with Mrs. Norman Cheatham.

We are glad to know that work on the telephone line through here is progressing nicely.

Mrs. Rosa Irby and Mrs. Dan Irby and family spent Sunday recently with Mr .and Mrs. Terry Irby, in N. C.

Mrs. Walter Arrington has been visiting the Rossers, near Union Hill.

Miss Sandra Reynolds, of Red House spent the week-end with her mother.

Mrs. Childress, of Gladys, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Courtney Mann.

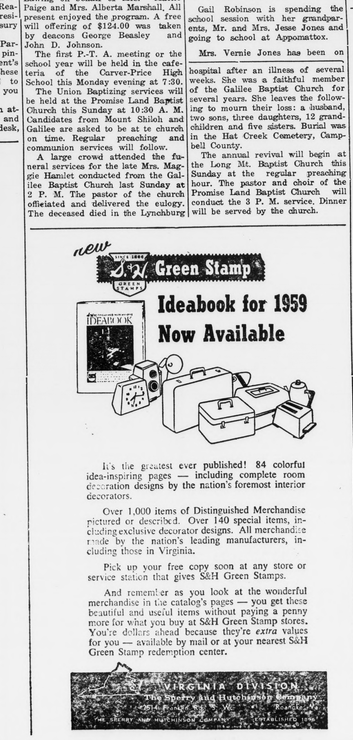
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Ramsey and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pillow and children were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jones.

Gail Robinson is spending the school session with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jones and going to school at Appomattox.

Mrs. Vernie Jones has been on

hospital after an illness of several weeks. She was a faithful member of the Galilee Baptist Church for several years. She leaves the following to mourn their loss: a husband, two sons, three daughters, 12 grandchildren and five sisters. Burial was in the Hat Creek Cemetery, Campbell County.

The annual revival will begin at the Long Mt. Baptist Church this Sunday at the regular preaching hour. The pastor and choir of the Promise Land Baptist Church will conduct the 3 P. M. service. Dinner will be served by the church.



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by a. h. r.

Mr. Stevens is perhaps the oldest town employee sweeping the streets [illegible], and I paused to [illegible]. I often find lost [illegible] while sweeping. [illegible] was found, most- [illegible] penny. He said [illegible] years he had been [illegible] streets, he had found [illegible] bills!

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[illegible]urchen was in yester- [illegible] sent in by Clayton [illegible]. It was a sweet po- [illegible] two blooms on it.

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[illegible]s a busy group of [illegible] working full time [illegible] counties during [illegible] season. Last week- [illegible]. W. E. (Ned) Han- [illegible]an the Brookville [illegible] also at the E. C. [illegible]me. Bobby Mitchell [illegible] in the A. H. S. of- [illegible]at. Bill Jamerson [illegible] in the Randolph- [illegible]. Billy Conner is [illegible]ed official.

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[illegible]ou gave on here?' they asked [illegible]alarm.

[illegible]ly replied Harry B. El- [illegible]ecutive addistant of the [illegible]General Grant is go- [illegible]ston, and these are his

[illegible]ief" explained Elkins. 'All [illegible]Civil War intage.'

[illegible] turned away, satisfied [illegible]ad went back to [illegible] amid the guffaws of [illegible]bystanders."

[illegible]e notes The Principal of the [illegible]s Taylorsville, N. C. [illegible]ights Bambour.

SENIOR TRI-HI-Y

[illegible] Junior Tri-Hi-Y of Appomat- [illegible]High School held its first meet- [illegible]31. Sue Gilbert, presi- [illegible] Mary Lou Jamerson [illegible]devotional. The following [illegible] elected: Secretary, [illegible]Coleman; Chaplain, Mer- [illegible]Reporter, Joan Crowd-

Family Affair

[illegible]Appoint- Shortly after his [illegible]th to a baby in a local [illegible]ital Nelson underwent [illegible]appendectomy.

So Thoughtful

Gracie Was Lady ..in Appomattox

TO CONDUCT REVIVAL

. . . . Rev. Virgil Hudson

Revival services begin at Evergreen Baptist Church Sunday morning, at 11:00 A. M., and will continue each evening through the week at 7:30. The Rev. Virgil Hudson, who is a former pastor in Richmond, and who became pastor of the Evergreen Church in August, will do the preaching.

The public is cordially invited to attend the services.

GARDEN CLUB BEGINS 25th. YEAR

On Monday night, Sept. 28, the Garden Club began its 25th year as an organization primarily interested in home and community beautification. The club was organized in January, 1935, with Mrs. Chas. F. James as its first president. Program plans for this year will be highlighted with a Silver Anniversary Dinner in January, the month of the club founding as well as other interesting programs and events.

The lovely country place, "Beckwood," provided a beautiful setting for this opening fall meeting. A "Hearth Supper," consisting of chili, tossed salad, French bread, dessert and coffee, was served with the club officers as hostesses. Program feature was color slides of "Williamsburg Flower Arrangements and Gardens."

During the business session, the following new members were welcomed into the club: Mrs. Wm. C. Dudley, Mrs. J. S. Moore, Mrs. S. R. Lawson, Mrs. R. L. Wingfield, and Mrs. Ella S. Anderson.

In a reorganization plan of the Virgiia Federation of Garden Clubs, the Appomattox Club has been re-assigned this year to a new District, South Central, with Mrs. O. O. Utt, Lynchburg, as the District President. The newly formed District is comprised of seventeen counties. It is an honor that two of the local club members have been chosen to head up departments in the initial organization of the new District. Mrs. S. S. Shouse is chairman of Publications, and Mrs. C. T. Moses, Jr., is the Legislative Chairman. They will be installed at the Fall District Meeting to be held in Lynchburg Oct. 22, at Memorial Methodist Church.

FAMILY REUNION

The family of Mrs. J. J. Chernault gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Blackwell Saturday evening for picnic supper. Everyone enjoyed the fellowship together. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Wendell McMinn and Kathy, of Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Wiley McCormick and children, Brenda Lee and Rockie, of Lynchburg; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bailey and Phil, of Farmville; Mr. and Mrs. Hamlett, Mrs. Henry T. Chernault and Debra, Mrs. Russell Chernault and son, Gene, Mr. Walter Clark, Jimmie Chernault and Mrs. J .J. Chernault, of Route 3, Appomattox, and Mr. and Mrs. Jennie Lynn and Curtis, of Farmville; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Chernault and son, Gene, Mr. Walter Clark, Jimmie Chernault and Mrs. J .J. Chernault, of Route 3, Appomattox, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Chernault and Debra.

Local Serviceman Overseas

Mediterranean (FHTNC) - Jerry W. Hudson fireman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hudson, of Route 1, Box 89, Appomattox, Va., is serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Saratoga operating with the U. S. Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean.

U. S. nickel plant in Cuba is for sale again.

Hurricane "Gracie" was a lady in her apearance over Appomattox County yesterday, but elsewhere left a trail of death and property loss.

According to local weather recorder, Mrs. John Taylor, the official rainfall readings for the period of Gracie's visit was 5.42 inches in the pediod ending at midnight. Rainfall was 2.14 inches here Tuesday, 2.59 by Wednesday afternoon and another .69 inches by midnight.

This saved September from being a very, very dry month. There was .37 of an inch rainfall Sept. 1, and .31 on Sept. 2. After that, there was no rainfall at all until Tuesday of this week.

September ended with a total rainfall of 6.10 inches.

This compared with 1.95 inches in September last year, and 8.52 inches in Sept., 1957.

No serious damage was reported as the hurricane passed over Appomattox. As a precaution, schools were closed yesterday.

At Ivy, near Charlottesville, the storm developed into a local terror, and ten persons were killed and property damage was considerable.

The storm veered inland from the Carolina coast, and was by far the most severe storm of the hurricane season in that area.

Real Nice

Mike: "This is a great country, Pat."

Pat: "How's that?"

Mike: "Sure, th' paper sez yez can buy a foive dollar money order for eight cents."

A. H. S. to play Nelson County High School in football here Friday night, at school playground.

Demonstration Club Schedule

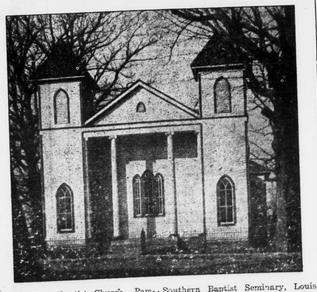
Schedule of Home Demonstration Clubs for next week:

Monday, Oct. 5: County Lane Club will meet at 7:30 P. M. at the home of Mrs. Edd Blackwell, with Mrs. Cabell Lewis, co-hostess.

Tuesday, Oct. 6: Lee Club will meet at 2 P. M. with Mrs. W. D. Morris.

Wednesday, Oct. 7: Glendale Club will meet at 10:30 A. M. for a covered dish luncheon with Mrs. Hunter Nash. The demonstration on gifts for all occasions will be held before lunch; the one on winter bouquets will be held after lunch.

Elon Baptist Church Observes One-hundred Years Anniversary



The Elon Baptist Church, Pamplin, will observe its One Hundredth Anniversary on Sunday, Oct. 4, with its annual Homecoming Service. The Rev. F. Lawson Pankey, pastor of the Arelia Baptist Church, Norfolk, will bring the morning message. Rev. Pankey was graduated from the University of Richmond with honors and also from the Southern Baptist Seminary, Louisville, Ky. He was baptized at the age of 9, in the Elon Church, which time the Rev. W. M. Black was pastor. He was also ordained into the ministery in this church on May 20, 1951. Rev. Pankey is doing an outstanding ministry at his church in Norfolk.

Woman's Club Speaker

. . Mrs. Florence Becker

Mrs. Florence Becker, Training Supervisor of Miller and Rhoads in Richmond, will be the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Woman's Club of Appomattox, to be held on Monday, Oct. 5, at 3:15 P. M., at the Appomattox Elementary School cafeteria.

The American Home Department, of which Mrs. David R. Caldwell is chairman, will present the program.

Mrs. Becker is a native of Cincinnati, Ohio, where she completed her high school and college education. She took special courses at Cincinnati College of Music and Cincinnati Conservatory of Music. Mrs. Becker was understudy for Katherine Hepburn in New York Company of "Death Takes a Holiday."

Dues that have not been paid are payable at this meeting.

The public is cordially invited, and all members are urged to bring interested guests.

Hostesses for the meeting will be: Mrs. Martin L. Webb, Mrs. John S. Grinels, Mrs. Shafter Drinkard, Mrs. Frances Cheatham and Mrs. H. P. Davis.

Junior Woman's Club Adopts Book Project

Mrs. Ben Marshall, president of the Appomattox Junior Woman's Club, has been notified by Alice Kyle Dist. Jr. President, Mrs. Betty Watson, of the project, "Operation Bookshelf." Members are asked to collect used books for distribution at prison farms and children's detention homes in the state. Paper back or hard back books are acceptable, but books on crime or violence are not.

Delegates to the October Fall Meeting are anxious to have a large number of books to take with them. Contact: June Chernault, at Averett's Store, who will collect the books.

Middle-income housing law faces challenge.

Meters Covered For Two Months

Legion "Fun Festival"

The American Legion Post 104, and the Auxiliary Unit will sponsor a gala Fun Festival here on Saturday, October 17. There will be fun, music, food, dancing and amusements, all geared to attract a large gathering in town for the event. A complete program is in the making and will be published in this paper next week.

Red Cross Meeting

There will be a meeting of the Appomattox County Chapter of the American Red Cross in the Court House on Tuesday night, Oct. 6, at 7:30 o'clock. This is a very important meeting, as several urgent matters must be decided. Chairman William A. Hunter urges that all officers, directors, members, and anyone interested in the Red Cross be present.

As a result of recent action of the Town Council, a two - month "holiday" on Parking Meters went into effect this morning, Oct. 1. All parking meters are to be covered during this period.

However, the Town plans to enforce a parking limit of one hour in the areas formerly covered by parking meters, and asks the cooperation of all those using the streets so that rigid observance will result.

As matters stand during this two-month "holiday," you can park a vehcile anywhere in the area where parking meters are, free, for up to one hour.

It was the hope of the Town that it was worth a try to see if a two-month holiday on the meters might not result in an increase in downtown business in Appomattox.

Ample parking lots are available for those desiring to park in the down- town area for more than one hour.

A. H. S. Host to Nelson Co. H. S. In Football Game Friday Night

AHS plays Nelson Co HS . . . .

The Appomattox High School Rebels will get back into their own district competition when they meet Nelson County High School in a football game here Friday at 8:00 P. M. This is a very important game in the District 4 high school league.

A. H. S lost Friday night to the Virginia Episcopal School, by a close 19 to 6 score. The game team outplayed the heavier V. E. S. team in much of the game, but ran "out of steam" in the third quarter to lose the game. The Appomattox line played its best game of the season. The local team was outweighted by 30 pounds per man, and outaged by 2 years per player. Coach Bragg cited the following for commendation: Randy Almond, Dickie Chandler, Pinky Inge, Donald Baldwin, Brian Thomas, Freddie Wingfield, Brod Pack and Jimmy Mayberry.

The only score for Appomattox was by Brod Pack, who caught a 40-yard pass from Dickie Guill.

This gives Appomattox a 2 won and 1 lost record for the season.

The Rebels will have to win their district games in order to win the championship, since Altavista and Brookville are undefeated in league play thus far. The game this Friday night should be a good one.

PAMPLIN P.-T. A.

An executive committee meeting of the Pamplin P.-T. A. was held at the school Wednesday, Sept. 23.

The regular meeting time of the P.-T. A. will be Tuesday after the fourth Sunday in each month. Due to weather conditions, the first meeting will be held October 6th, instead of Sept. 29.

P.-T. A. prospects for the year were discussed. Officers for 1959-1960 are:

President, Mrs. Stuart Farrar
Vice-pres., Mrs. David Covington
Secretary, Mrs. Sydnor Mann
Treasurer, Mrs. Carlton Wayne
Committee chairmen:
Membership, Mrs. William Dudley
Refreshment: Mrs. Edward Davis
Luncehroom: Mrs. Charlie B. Gilliam
Ways and means: Mrs. Robert Harris
Reporter, Mrs. Edward Harvey

To Attend Meeting

Representatives of the Appomattox County Red Cross Chapter have been invited to attend the Fifth Annual Red Cross Chapter Workers Conference to be held Wednesday and Thursday, October 7 and 8, at Natural Bridge Hotel.

"Building Stronger Chapters" will be the theme of the conference, which will be attended by some 200 workers from 53 Central and Southwest Virginia Red Cross Chapters.

FIRST MEETING OF F. H. A.

The first meeting of the Future Homemakers of America for this session was held Thursday, Sept. 24, in the A. H. S. auditorium. Joyce Irby gave the devotions. Miss Lynch, buyer and manager for the Dorothy May Department Store in Farmvile was the guest speaker. Her talk was about buying dress clothing and lingerie. Six girls from the chapter modeled some of the latest fashions from the store.

After the program, there was a business session.

The next meeting will be held the fourth Thursday in October.

Reporter: Jean Brown.

NAVY SETS DEC. 12 FOR ANNUAL NROTC EXAM

Adm. H. P. Smith, Chief of Naval Personnel, announced today that the 14th annual National Competitive Examinations for the Regular Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps, will be given to eligible high school seniors and graduates on December 12. Application forms are now available and must be received before November 14.

Application forms are available at high schools, colleges, Navy Recruiting Stations or from the Chief of Naval Personnel, Department of the Navy, Washington 25, D. C.

Play safe — drive carefully.

ELEMENTAY RSCHOOL CAFETERIA MENU

Oct. 5: Tuna fish salad with hot biscuits, peanut butter or Ritz crackers, succotash, sliced tomatoes, cookie, 1-2 pt. milk.

Oct. 6: Old fashioned baked beans, mixed greene, black-eyed peas, hot yeast bread, fruit cup, 1-2 pt. milk.

Oct. 7: Corn beef hash on toasted bun, sweet potato patties with marshmallow, green peas, ice cream and 1-2 pt. milk.

Oct. 8: Hot dog on roll with dressing, baked beans, cole slaw, choice fruit jello or plain jello, 1-2 pt. milk.

Oct. 9: Chili con carne, boiled potatoes, string beans, hot yeast bread with butter Devil's food cake with white sauce, 1-2 pt. milk.

SENIOR TRI-HI-Y

The first meeting of the Senior Tri-Hi-Y was held Sept. 17. The following will serve as officers this year:

President, Ruth Ranson
Vice-pres., Linda Sue Hunter
Secretary, Linda Sarver
Treasurer, Eleanor Richardson
Reporter, Robbie Lou Robertson
Chaplain, Jayne Martin
Historian, Harriette Carson.

The chaplain led in the devotions. Linda Hunter gave the program.

HAZEL MOON CIRCLE

The Hazel Moon Circle of the [illegible] will meet with Mrs. Barbara Gawthorne on Thursday, Octobe 8, at 7:30 P. M.